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FRIDAY, AUGUST 2, 1912.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING.

As we understand a second call for a village meeting has been issued. The object is to see if the village will vote to expend a further sum of money in building highways in the village. As we are informed something over \$4000 has already been expended in such work this year. This same question was considered in the village meeting of July 26 and it was voted by quite a large majority not to so bond the village.

Our village and school district indebtedness, we understand, to be over \$150,000. In addition to this we are held for about two-thirds of the indebtedness of the town which is between \$10,000 and \$12,000. We shall also have to pay two-thirds of 12 1/2 per cent. of the total cost of the Underpass, now being built near the depot, including moving all buildings, laying new tracks, grading, etc. It will be evident to all that the debt of the village is quite a large one and will require very special economy to meet, and we believe this will be the general opinion of our taxpayers; and therefore the present is not the time to increase debt for any purpose. There is no reason why the village with the regular highway taxes, if they are wisely expended, cannot in a few years have good roads on all outstreets. The town in this way, without incurring indebtedness, has constructed first class country roads.

Every taxpayer should attend this meeting.

ELLEN'S MOUNTAIN AND MOUNT ETHAN ALLEN!

As some have inquired regarding trails onto some of our mountains, we use the columns of the Register to answer such inquiries.

Mount Ethan Allen (Camel's Hump) may be ascended from the west or the northeast. To reach the former trail, one can go by train to Jonesville, thence by stage to Huntington Centre and by team to Forest City. At this point the trail is left and the ascent of the mountain begins. At Forest City there are three farm houses and we suppose one or more families living there. Mr. Tart has a farm near the beginning of the trail and one can get started right by inquiry from him. The trail is very plain and the average pedestrian will have no difficulty in reaching the summit.

To make the ascent from the northeast, one leaves the train at North Duxbury, then take the road leading to Durgee's saw mill. On this side there are two trails, one leading up from near Durgee's and the other from one of the farms passed before reaching the mill. By inquiry one can easily find these trails. We believe that another trail has been blazed from some point near the Winooski River. This will give one at least two miles more of a climb than either of the others.

For the last two or three years a tent has been kept near the summit for the accommodation of the public. We do not know whether meals are furnished or not. Water may be had from a spring a little south of the tent. The latter part of the season that spring usually dries up and one must get water lower down some one of the trails.

Ellen's Mountain situated in Lincoln and Warren may be ascended from the west or east. To reach the trail from the west, one drives to the foot of the mountain directly east of Lincoln Centre and leaves the team at the Rock farm where Curtis Rock formerly lived. Here is a good barn for horses; and by inquiry one can easily find the trail. It is two miles from the farm house up to the log cabin near which there is water and where climbers are generally ready for lunch. In the latter part of the season the brook near the cabin may be dry and then one can get water at a point three or four rods east of the cabin. There is a sign on a tree indicating the location of the spring.

From the top of Ellen's Mountain one can take a trail leading northeasterly and northerly some four miles to the northern extremity of the mountain which is some 75 or 100 feet higher than the southern summit, but the view from the southern is more extensive. If one attempts the northern trail, he should hold well to the east on entering the woods as another trail branches off to the left leading to the foot of the

mountain at a point about a mile north of the Rock place. When one has proceeded easterly 40 or 50 rods he must hold to the left where the trail divides, as the right hand trail leads down into Warren.

If one takes the trip to the north, he can get a good view of Fayston's landslide which began near the ridge of the mountain and went down the east side. Also 20 or 30 rods south of this can be seen a growth of white birches which marks a landslide that took place 60 or 70 years ago. The Fayston slide is seen from some exposed rocks or ledge over which the trail leads one. The trip should be made after a rain or a north wind to clear the air of smoke. One should be careful not to hurry up the mountain as the wind generally blows hard at the top and it is quite cold.

From Mount Ethan Allen one sees Mansfield at the north, Ellen's Mountain and Bread Loaf at the south. From Ellen's Mountain one sees Mt. Ethan Allen and Mansfield at the north and Bread Loaf at the south. From both view points on a clear day can be seen the White Mountains at the east, also the Adirondacks and Lake Champlain at the west. We doubt if any finer views can be had anywhere in the United States than from these mountains.

The following brief article we clip from editorial page of July 29, of the Baltimore Sun, one of the ablest, largest, and largest circulated papers of the country. A democratic paper in a democratic constituency, fair enough and wise enough to speak the honest truth in all discussions.

Mr. Roosevelt, against whom so many infamous falsehoods have been, and are being uttered by some of the largest Eastern Journals such as the New York Sun, and others of that ilk, is one of the ablest men of the world on all questions that connect with government, as he abundantly proved in the about seven years that he acted as President and in addition, as we believe, an exceptionally honest and upright man. A man, too, that both this country and the whole world are largely indebted to, as illustrated by the Panama Canal, so far as we know the greatest work of improvement ever achieved upon this planet, illustrating the wonderful fitness of Mr. Roosevelt to direct the affairs of a nation, or the world.

We hope that the great majority of Vermonters will not be misled in this matter but deposit their votes at the proper time for the man who has always worked, and with much success, for the good of the whole people.

A DANGEROUS CORPSE.

Conclusion of Mr. William Marion Reedy, of the St. Louis Mirror: "In my opinion, Theodore Roosevelt is done for."

A perfect example of that excessive optimism which keeps coroners busy. The truth is, of course, that Colonel Roosevelt, despite the copious desertion of Governors and other magnificos, has still an enormous following among the plain people. His position, if anything, is stronger than it was in the spring, for then his arresting personality was almost his only asset, whereas today he profits by the undoubted frauds of the Republican bosses at Chicago—frauds which no parody of Mr. Hilles can ever explain away. And we all know what he accomplished in the spring.

Neither Republicans nor Democrats can afford to underestimate the Colonel. That he will regain the Presidency, of course, is not at all probable at the moment, but that he will largely determine the result in more than one State is certain. No other American of today, not even Mr. Wilson or Mr. Bryan, excels him as a campaigner. He has an almost uncanny faculty for convincing the men with votes. Therefore, it behooves the managers of both the big parties to proceed against him with great care, and above all to avoid the folly of dismissing him as done for. He will never be done for so long as he is on his legs.—Baltimore Sun.

MASSACHUSETTS RESPONDS.

[From Boston Journal.]

The Sunday Globe spoke of the Progressive convention held at Faneuil Hall on Saturday as "intelligent, orderly and enthusiastic," which is true. Yet it was a good deal more than that, for it was the first demonstration of its kind since war times of the vital, all-important, patriotic spirit coming from men and women single-minded in their desire for popular government and eager to have not only Massachusetts, but the whole country, delivered from boss-bondage.

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It was the first Massachusetts rally of the plain people, driven to revolt against the boss-ruled conventions at Chicago and Baltimore.

It was Massachusetts' response to the patriotic call sent out from Chicago last month, when the delegates of the plain people were deliberately and tyrannically unseated by the clique of bosses determined that Taft should be nominated at all hazards. It was also, in spirit if not in the written word, the logical sequel to the impossible conglomeration of radicalism and bossism witnessed at Baltimore, where the

Democrats made pledges to the country which they are now stubbornly bent upon repudiating in Congress, and where they named a radical candidate for President upon a platform set to trap and fetter him.

Therefore this first Massachusetts Progressive convention adopted a declaration of principles embodying the fundamental features of popular government—not government partly by the special interests and partly by the people; not government tethered to stakes driven by unpopular legislators seated for the prime purpose of smothering progressive legislation and dictating to Presidents; not government blundering along, as the present government is, "dissolving" trusts and hoodwinking the public; not a government of promises and shams and inconsistencies, but the government that was in Lincoln's mind, and that is now uppermost in Roosevelt's mind, a government of, by and for the people—a government at once progressive and truly expressive of the popular will.

Against such a government we see the Penroses lined up, and the Murphys, the Barneses and the Baileys—the men who have betrayed national interests through the Taft administration and the men who are doing the logrolling in the Democratic caucuses in Washington.

Moreover a great step was taken here Saturday when the Progressives gave due recognition to the patriotism and citizenship of the women and elected three women delegates to attend the national Progressive convention.

The time has gone by for grudgingly extending a little sympathy to the just cause of equal rights. It is a narrow principle which would permit the women to cast a vote on one question of vital public importance and deny her the right to vote on other questions of like importance. Women have been splendidly patient, as a whole under such petty, partisan restraint. They have shown, as in California, what they will do with their vote when they all get it. They will cast it for better government. Their co-operation should be welcomed by all the men who have the welfare of city or State or nation at heart. The action the Massachusetts Progressives took on this issue Saturday is but the earnest of what the Progressive party at large will do when it has the power.

It will have the power to do this and many other acts for the benefit of the plain people and the integrity and prosperity of the country when the voters do their first duty and kick the bosses out of doors.

The voters can do it this year if they will.

AUTO FATALITIES

Two Children Lose Their Lives by Being Run Over.

Two children were killed Sunday by automobiles on the Revere Beach boulevard, and two chauffeurs were arrested on charges of manslaughter. Chester Lindquist, 5 years old, of 235 Main street, Winthrop, was struck at Eliot circle, at the Beachmont end of the beach, and his head was crushed.

Several other motor accidents occurred in Greater Boston. A boy was seriously hurt at Revere Beach by a motor cycle, and four persons were injured in West Peabody by a collision of automobiles. There were several other mishaps in which the occupants of the automobiles escaped with slight bruises.

Chester Lindquist had his head crushed by a large automobile near Eliot Circle about 7 o'clock Sunday evening. The accident was witnessed by scores of people, and many women fainted when the boy was stretched lifeless on the ground with the blood flowing from a deep gash on the left side of his head. Several of the women spectators grew hysterical and were assisted from the scene.

Dufour was arrested by the Metropolitan Park police, charged with manslaughter, and was arraigned in the Chelsea court Monday morning.

Mother Sees Girl Killed.

Before the eyes of her terror-stricken mother, Elizabeth Crowley, 5 years old, was struck and received fatal injuries by an automobile at the junction of Spring street and Revere Beach Parkway, Everett, at 5:50 p. m. Sunday. Arthur P. Irving of 1 Norwich place, Winchester, driver of the car, is held in \$1000 bonds on the charge of manslaughter.

The little girl in company with her mother, Mrs. Mary Crowley, and two other sisters were crossing the parkway. Elizabeth trailed behind the others, and when the mother turned to look for her, found the child confused and frightened, in the path of an automobile.

Before the mother could reach the child the car struck the girl, glancing blow and ran over her, causing injuries from which she died shortly after.

Car Hits Little Girl.

Hudson, July 26.—A dispatch received from Danbury, N. H., says that Dorothy E. Knapp, aged 13 years, daughter of Dr. L. V. Knapp of that place, is in a serious condition as a result of being run down by the touring car of William S. Seymour, of Hudson, N. Y.

The accident took place in front of the Knapp residence the girl running out in the road directly in front of the auto, which she probably did not notice was coming along at moderate speed. Clarence Seaman, chauffeur for Mr. Seymour, was driving the car, and did his best to stop the auto before the girl was struck, but when she ran out so unexpectedly while at play the chauffeur was completely taken by surprise.

WRECK AT AMITYVILLE.

Nine Persons Escape Serious Injuries.

Amityville, L. I., July 27.—An automobile owned and driven by Erastus E. Hall of Amityville collided into this afternoon with an automobile owned by Isadore Rossenschein of Arverne. Both cars were reduced to junk, but no one received serious injuries.

Hall's car, in which were Mr. and Mrs. Hall, their young son, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. McNabb of 229 Decatur street, Brooklyn, and Mrs. C. E. Weston of Philadelphia, was going north on Albany avenue, Amityville, when Rossenschein's car, in which were Mrs. Rossenschein, their son and the chauffeur, turned from the Great Neck road. The collision occurred before either car could get out of the way.

Mrs. Rossenschein received the most severe injuries. Her face was badly cut. Although all the people were thrown from their machines, the only other injuries received were a few scratches and bruises.

AUTO HIT POLE.

Edward Denning Slightly Injured in Burlington Yesterday.

Burlington, July 26.—Edward Denning of Spruce street was slightly injured in an automobile accident yesterday near the corner of Winooski avenue and Grant street.

He had recently rented M. J. Daley's machine for a hack. He was on the way up the avenue when the steering gear refused to work. At the turn on Grant street the car zigzagged across the street and ran into a telegraph pole.

When the car struck the pole Denning was thrown violently against the wheel of the steering gear and was somewhat injured. He averted and while bystanders went after a doctor, laid down on the grass at the side of the road dazed and faint. Dr. Beecher, who examined him, took him home, said that there were no internal injuries so far as could be ascertained and he thought the young man would be about again soon.

The front of the car, windshield, steering gear, side lamps, dasher, springs, etc., were damaged.

NEW HAVEN.

Ray Parth was given a surprise by some of his young friends last week Tuesday evening.

The Ladies' union were entertained at Mrs. Will Groves' on East street last week Wednesday afternoon. Twenty-one ladies present.

Frank Shackett has returned home from the hospital at Burlington. He is in feeble health.

Mrs. E. S. Weston's sixty-seventh birthday anniversary was observed on Thursday, July 18, her daughter, Mrs. Sherman inviting a few friends to honor the occasion.

George Jacobs, formerly of this place, but for several years past has been in business in Worcester, Mass., was in town over the Sabbath and in the early week, visiting his daughters, Misses Ardell and Anna Jacobs, the former of Middlebury, with other relatives. He came with friends by auto, leaving Worcester in the morning and reaching Montpelier the same day.

Mrs. A. C. Squier has been entertaining her aunt, Mrs. Emily Munger, of Paw Paw, Mich.

Rev. and Mrs. Rufus Tobey of Wollaston, Mass., have been recent visitors in town. Mrs. Tobey was Miss Jennie Gifford, for many years a resident of this place.

A detachment of the tenth cavalry from Fort Ethan Allen passed through our town on Saturday of last week, en route for Connecticut for army practice. It was reported there were over nine hundred horses to be provided for. Twenty-seven baggage wagons were counted, drawn by as fine, sleek looking mules as one often sees. For the most part the horses were in excellent condition, and made a splendid showing and was really quite an imposing scene, as the different companies bearing their colors, marched through our streets.

Frank Loraine and Miss Irene Dickinson were recently married.

Mrs. Emma Rose is confined to her bed, and it is thought she cannot long survive.

HIPTON

Miss Georgiana Dandrew of Newport, N. H., was the guest of Mrs. H. E. Day for a few days last week. She is the daughter of George Dandrew, who was a resident here some years ago.

Miss Gertrude Chase, who was called home on account of the illness of her brother, has returned to Middlebury.

Mrs. Amanda Whittemore, who is somewhat indisposed, has gone for a few days to Salisbury, that she may be near a physician.

Mrs. Amanda Whittemore has had an additional piazza built to her house, the roof of the house reshingled, a new floor laid on the old piazza and a new chimney put up in the house.

The revision of our check list for the coming election shows that we have just one hundred voters.

J. F. Stoddard and Fred Euber have gone to White River Junction for a few days.

We think that we can safely say that the Rev. Dr. Coleman will be with us next Sunday afternoon.

WEST BRIDPORT.

James Carr is absent from town in search of employment.

Melvin Wilkinson of recent date was a Rutland business visitor.

The commissioners of the estate of Lewis H. Wilkinson, late of this place, will meet at the residence of Charles L. Partridge, admr., Thursday, August 1.

Automobiles have not been plentiful for the past two weeks, although an auto has been purchased by a farmer in town of late.

Pastures are beginning to show the need of rain. The potato crop promises to be a failure owing to the drought.

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At Holly Hall in Bristol.

August 9th at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Fraser Metzger of Randolph, candidate for Governor, and other prominent speakers will be in attendance at both meetings.

Music will be furnished by the local bands from each place.

MIDDLEBURY LOCALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyal L. Brown and Miss Mary Brown of Providence, R. I., and Mrs. William R. Brown of Pawtucket, R. I., are visiting here for two weeks.

The trustees of the village have purchased from John Bosley a piece of land in the south part of the village, where the sewer empties. The amount given was \$125.

Miss Lucy F. Brooks is visiting Mrs. Frank Fortier of Vergennes.

Mrs. Ellen Wright and daughter, Ruth, spent Sunday with friends in Shoreham.

Miss Jessie Brush spent several days last week in New Haven the guest of Miss Zana Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maynard have returned from their wedding trip and will make their home at White River Junction. Mrs. Maynard was formerly Miss Eva Brown of this village.

Edward Erickson and Elwyn Smith have returned from Proctor, where they have been visiting at their former homes.

Miss Elizabeth Baldwin has returned from a visit with friends in Vergennes.

Mrs. K. R. B. Flint of Northfield is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Thomas.

The Labaree society will hold a food sale in the vestry of the Congregational church Saturday, August 10, at 2 o'clock.

Charles Brush was in Ripton on Wednesday on business.

Mrs. A. J. Richmond has returned from New Haven, where she spent several days with her parents.

Miss Helen Whittemore of Pittsford, who has been spending two weeks at the home of Mrs. Jones on Waterstreet, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Abbey and niece, Pauline Sanford, spent Sunday at Lake Dunmore.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Maher and daughter, were recent guests at Lake Dunmore.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will hold a special meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Erwin Piper of Weybridge street. Full attendance is desired as sewing is to be done for a needy family.

George Kidder of Fair Haven spent Sunday in town.

A very small vote was cast at the special election for congressman in this town Tuesday afternoon. Most of the farmers are busy haying which was the cause of the light vote.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey C. Ellis of Washington, D. C., are here on a visit to relatives. Mr. Ellis is a native of Middlebury and a former well known resident and is now a special examiner of pensions with headquarters at Washington, D. C. He will spend most of his vacation in camp on the lake shore.

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Church Notes.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Rev. A. A. Lancaster, Pastor. During the pastor's vacation the pulpit will be supplied as follows: August 4, Professor E. D. Collins, Ph. D.; August 11, Rev. Seelye of Delhi, N. Y.; August 18, Rev. Norman Sever, D. D., of Rutland, Vt.; August 25, ex President Ezra Brainerd, D. D., LL. D. The mid-week services during the month of August will be in charge of the different societies of the church and congregation. August 1, the Bible School will have charge of the meeting; August 8, the Deacons; August 15, the Woman's Association for Home and Foreign Missions; August 22, the Prudential Committee; August 29, the Labaree Society.

A Pleased Savings Bank Depositor

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Order to Show Cause on Application for Discharge.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Vermont. In Bankruptcy. In the matter of John P. Chandler, Debtor. In Bankruptcy. No. 2614. Whereas, application has been made by the above named bankrupt for a discharge, as provided by paragraph 11-a of the bankruptcy laws of 1906; now, on motion of Allen R. Sturtevant, Esq., attorney for such bankrupt. It is ordered: That all creditors of John P. Chandler, a bankrupt, as well as all other parties in interest, show cause, at a hearing to be held on such application before the District Court of the United States for the District of Vermont, at my office in Middlebury, in said District, on the 9th day of August, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, why such application should not be granted. Middlebury, Vt., July 30, 1912. ALBERT W. DICKENS, Referee in Bankruptcy.

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